

1 [Contract Amendment - Helios Healthcare, LLC - Not to Exceed \$14,635,152]

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3 **Resolution approving a third amendment to the Department of Public Health contract**
4 **with Helios Healthcare, LLC, for long-term mental health services in a 24-hour locked**
5 **facility, to extend the contract by two years from July 1, 2011, through June 30, 2016, to**
6 **July 1, 2011, through June 30, 2018, with a corresponding increase of \$4,688,841 for a**
7 **total amount not to exceed \$14,635,152.**

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9 WHEREAS, The mission of the Department of Public Health is to protect and promote
10 the health of all San Franciscans; and

11 WHEREAS, In 2011, the Department of Public Health selected Helios Healthcare, LLC
12 through a Request For Proposals to provide long-term mental health services in a 24-hour
13 locked facility; and

14 WHEREAS, The Department established a contract for these services for a term of the
15 July 1, 2011, through June 30, 2014, with options to renew the contract through June 30,
16 2018; and

17 WHEREAS, The Department has since amended the contract, extending the term
18 through June 30, 2016, with increases as needed to serve clients; and

19 WHEREAS, The Department of Public Health wishes to extend the contract by two
20 years, from July 1, 2011, through June 30, 2016, to July 1, 2011, through June 30, 2018, with
21 a corresponding increase of \$4,688,841, for a total amount not to exceed \$14,635,152; and

22 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Charter, Section 9.118, requires that contracts entered
23 into by a department or commission having a term in excess of ten years, or requiring
24 anticipated expenditures by the City and County of ten million dollars, be approved by the
25 Board of Supervisors; and

1 WHEREAS, Under this contract Helios Healthcare, LLC provides comprehensive
2 treatment services for clients who have a combination of medical and behavioral issues,
3 services which include intravenous therapy for antibiotics and electrolyte imbalances, wound
4 care, teaching services (including diabetes and colostomy management), hospice care,
5 pharmacy services, lab services, comprehensive neuro-behavioral services, comprehensive
6 therapy services (physical, occupational, and speech, including swallowing rehabilitation),
7 nutritional support services, podiatry care, onsite dental and optometry care, psychiatric and
8 psychological care, support groups, restorative nursing, skilled nursing care for
9 comprehensive wound management, complex medical cases, and complicated/traumatic
10 orthopedic and rehabilitation, and spiritual services, as well as intensive interdisciplinary
11 evaluation, individualized behavioral program planning, and neuro-rehab services and
12 activities (such as life skills for independent living and community preparedness, individual
13 and group health education, and meaningful living services such as peer support group
14 activities, recreational and social activities, spiritual fulfillment activities, and self-directed
15 learning opportunities) designed for each person's level of cognitive and medical disability;
16 now, therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Director of Health
18 and the Director of the Office of Contract Administration/Purchaser, on behalf of the City and
19 County of San Francisco to amend the contract with Helios Healthcare, LLC, extending the
20 term of the contract by two years, through June 30, 2018, and increasing the total, not-to-
21 exceed amount of the contract by \$4,688,841, to \$14,635,152; and, be it

22 FURTHER RESOLVED, That within thirty (30) days of the contract amendment being
23 fully executed by all parties, the Director of Health and/or the Director of the Office of Contract
24 Administration/Purchaser shall provide the final contract to the Clerk of the Board for inclusion
25 into the official file (File No. 160503).

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Barbara A. Garcia,
4 Director of Health

APPROVED:

Mark Morewitz,
Health Commission Secretary

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